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## EMERGENCY WORK TO BEGIN ON NORTHBOUND INTERSTATE 15 IN TEMECULA

### *FIRE DAMAGE REPAIRS*

**SAN BERNARDINO-**The California Department of Transportation (Caltrans) begins work on Monday, August 15 to repair and restore areas recently burned on northbound Interstate 15 (I-15) in Temecula. Riverside Construction Company has been awarded this \$500,000 project to remove burned trees, install erosion control, replace both metal beam guardrail and three highway signs.

The first two weeks of the project will require the closure of the #4 lane (next to the right shoulder) in order to replace the guardrail. Crews will be working August 15 through August 26 on Mondays-Fridays from 10:00 P.M. until 6:00 A.M. The remainder of the project will require shoulder closures only with crews working beginning August 26, Mondays-Fridays from 7:00 A.M. until 4:00 P.M. This project is expected to be completed in Fall, 2016.

Dates and times are contingent on the weather.

*Know before you go!* To stay on top of roadwork in the Inland Empire go to [www.caltrans8.info](http://www.caltrans8.info) and sign up for commuter alerts. View traffic conditions at <http://quickmap.dot.ca.gov>.

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